

## NOTABLE PERFORMANCES AND RECOGNITIONS (*DENNIS WARNER*)

**Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts** (Washington, D.C.) - Featured in Concert at event honoring "The Best of the Unknown Songwriters"

**2018 Recipient of the *Individual Artist Award***, presented by the Central Minnesota Arts Board and the McKnight Foundation

**2018 Recipient of the *South Dakota Touring Artist Grant*** by the South Dakota Arts Council

**Kerrville Folk Festival** (Kerrville, TX) - Three time New Folk Finalist - songwriter honors (1996, 1997 and 1999)

**Anti-Hate Coalition Concert** (post 9/11), St. Ambrose University. In concert with Josh White, Jr. and Bethany Yarrow. Many leaders from multiple faiths and religions, as well as five major TV news organizations attended this event.

**Ordway Center for the Performing Arts** (St. Paul, MN) — *Beads on One String* selected for the Flint Hills International Children's Festival theme in 2005. Dennis Warner presented as the guest of honor and continues to be a featured performer yearly at this highly regarded event.

**The Bluebird Café** (Nashville, TN) - Several Performances

**Folk Alliance International** - Main Stage Showcase Artist, Presenter and Mentor

**Minnesota Kindergarten Association** - Keynote presenter

**Colorado School Counselors Association** – Keynote performer/presenter

**New Jersey School Librarians Association** - Keynote presenter

**Children's Literature Workshop** – Keynote Presenter

**Also Appeared at:**

**Wisconsin Educational & Media Technology Association**

**Washington School Counselors Association**

**Information & Technology Media Educators Association (MN)**

**American Association of School Librarians**

**Minnesota School Counselors Association**

**"Seeds" CD** - Named one of the top CD's in folk music (2012), based on worldwide radio play by radio monitoring service.

**Artist recognition** - Named one of the top performing artists in folk music for 2012 by FOLK DJ

**"Beep Beep" CD** - Attained #1 status in sales for independent music on internet music store site CD BABY during August 2015.

**Recipient of the Artist Career Development Grant** (FY2013) - Awarded by the Central Minnesota Arts Board and the McKnight Foundation.

**Minnesota Humanities Commission & Minnesota Library Association** (2007) – *Beads on One String* recommended for reading

***I'm My Own Grandpa*** video has received over 750,000 hits on YouTube.com as of May 2018

**January 2017 – Special Guest & Featured Artist on "Stripped Down with George Maurer"** - Pioneer Place Theater, St. Cloud. Performance series hosted by composer/entertainer George Maurer highlighting the best of Minnesota musicians.

### **TELEVISION –**

- KMSP TV (Fox) Minnesota (numerous appearances)
- KARE11 TV (NBC) Minnesota (numerous appearances).
- Many other local TV broadcasts across the country.

### **RADIO –**

- WCCO Radio (CBS) (numerous appearances)
- Minnesota Public Radio- *Radio Heartland* (*Nationally syndicated- Two appearances*)
- National Public Radio Shows – *Great Acoustics Live* and four appearances on *River City Folk* (*Both nationally syndicated*)
- CIUT Public Radio (Toronto) – *Acoustic Workshop*
- WBAI (New York City) *Radio Unnamable with Bob Fass* – Nationally syndicated three hour interview
- WFMT (Chicago) *SoundStage* (Internationally syndicated)

- *Jammin' with Dennis Warner*, a musical variety show broadcast on numerous public radio stations  
Creator, producer and host (1989-90)
- Also, appearances on many other local and regional stations throughout the country.

## BOOK

### ***Beads on One String* (2004)**

Author of the Book and Song by the same title

Sixth Printing achieved in 2015

Curriculum developed around the book with the Director of Education at St. Cloud State University

Now used nationwide in elementary school bully prevention / positive behavior (PBIS) curriculums

## DISCOGRAPHY (10 Full length CD's)

### ***Beep Beep* (2015)**

Recorded at Thousand Pines Studio, Clearwater, MN. Produced and Engineered by Dennis Warner

Attained #1 rating on CDBaby.com in August 2015 for independent music

Featuring Dennis Warner - vocals, six & twelve string guitars

Musicians include The D's: Dan Neale, Derrick Raiter and Dennis Kennedy

Special Guests: Cristina Seaborn, Mike Zeleny, Glen Everhart, Katie Rust, Jack Richter, Julie Rust, Rusty Rust and

Tammy Anhalt-Warner

### ***Seeds* (2012)**

Recorded at Thousand Pines Studio, Clearwater, MN. Produced and Engineered by Dennis Warner

Named one of the top CDs of 2012 in folk music based on radio play around the world. FOLK DJ also named him one of the top artists of 2012. Legendary ***Midnight Special*** radio host **Rich Warren** tipped his hat to Dennis by designating ***Seeds*** as his "CD Pick of the Week" on his internationally syndicated show.

Featuring Dennis Warner - vocals, six & twelve string guitars

Musicians include The D's: Dan Neale, Derrick Raiter and Dennis Kennedy

Special Guests: J.D. Steele, Freebo, Jeff Engholm, Paul Diethelm, Pat Curto, Mike Zeleny, Leela Grace, Glen Everhart,

Julie Rust and Pat Riley

### ***Live! Volume 2* (2007)**

Recorded live at the Pioneer Place Theatre, St. Cloud, MN. Produced by Dennis Warner

Featuring Dennis Warner - vocals, six & twelve string guitars

Musicians include The D's: Dan Neale, Derrick Raiter, Dennis Kennedy

Special Guest: Darlyne Cain

### ***Live! Volume 1* (2005)**

Recorded live at the Pioneer Place Theatre, St. Cloud, MN. Produced by Dennis Warner

The D's: Dan Neale, Derrick Raiter and Dennis Kennedy

Special Guest: Glen Everhart

### ***Journey of the Soul* (2002)**

Recorded at Rockhouse Studios, St. Joseph, MN. Produced by Dennis Warner & Jeff Vee

Featuring Dennis Warner - vocals, six & twelve string guitars

Musicians include The D's: Dan Neale, Derrick Raiter and Dennis Kennedy

Special Guests: George Maurer, Paul Diethelm, Jeff Vee, Tommy Vee, Mike Zeleny, Glen Everhart, Deanna Paulzine, Darlyne Cain and Jake Hammond

***My World*** (2000)

Recorded at Rockhouse Studios, St. Joseph, MN. Produced by Dennis Warner & Jeff Vee

Featuring Dennis Warner - vocals, six & twelve string guitars

Musicians include The D's: Dan Neale, Derrick Raiter and Dennis Kennedy

Special Guests: Peter Ostroushko, Prudence Johnson, George Maurer, Tommy Vee, Jeff Vee, Glen Everhart, Pat Riley, Anna Aiello, Nancy Leslie and Julie Rust

***A Perfect Morning*** (1998)

Recorded at Rockhouse Studios, St. Cloud, MN. Produced by Dennis Warner & Jeff Vee

Featuring Dennis Warner - vocals, six & twelve string guitars

Musicians include: Prudence Johnson, George Maurer, Dan Neale, Paul Diethelm, Jay O'Donnell, Matt Velline, Tommy Vee, Jeff Vee, Hans Meyer, Kristin Mooney, Derrick Raiter, Thea Stockinger and A.J. Nicholas

***Anything Like You*** (1995)

Recorded at Rockhouse Studios, St. Cloud, MN. Produced by Dennis Warner & Jeff Vee

Featuring Dennis Warner - vocals, six & twelve string guitars

Musicians include: George Maurer, Paul Diethelm, Tommy Vee, Jeff Vee, James Hersch, LeRoy Glazier, Ernie Renn, Donny Williams, Paul Bergen, Darin Essery and Rob Sylvain

***I Need You To Be There*** (1991)

Recorded at Rockhouse Studios, St. Cloud, MN. Produced by Dennis Warner & Jeff Vee

Featuring Dennis Warner - vocals, six & twelve string guitars

Musicians include: Paul Diethelm, George Maurer, Ernie Renn, Jeff Vee, Tommy Vee and Bobby Vee

***Debut*** (1987)

Recorded at Blackberry Way Studios, Minneapolis, MN. Produced by Dennis Warner, Kevin Glynn & Michael Owens

Featuring Dennis Warner – vocals and six string guitar

Musicians include: Glen Manske, Ben Kaplan, J.A. Young III, Robert Henry and Terry Braatz